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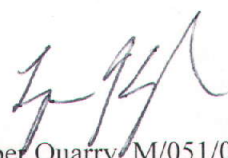
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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Lynn Kunzler, Senior Reclamation Specialist 

RE: Site Inspection, Star Stone Quarries, Inc., Heber Quarry, M/051/001, Wasatch County, Utah

Date of Inspection: November 19, 2002  
Time of Inspection: 1:30 pm  
Conditions: Partly cloudy, cool  
Participants: Lon Thomas, Star Stone Quarries, Inc.; Lynn Kunzler, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: To review status of site conditions

### Observations:

During a meeting on November 18, 2002 to discuss non-compliance issues at the Heber Quarry, it was agreed that Mr. Thomas would notify the Division as to when he would be at the Heber quarry to correct the non-compliance issues. This call came at 9:00 am on the morning of November 19, 2002.

Two issues needed to be corrected at this site. First, the blasting protocol sign required by permit conditions needed to be relocated and properly posted. The second issue dealt with maintenance of the sedimentation traps and road to assure uncontrolled runoff did not leave the site.

Upon arrival at the site, an acceptable location for the 'blasting' sign was identified and Mr. Thomas had two of his workers dig the postholes and cement treated 4x4 posts into the ground. The signs were attached to the posts with lag bolts before I left the site.

The sediment trap near the trailer had been partially cleaned out. A worker was sent to get a key for the loader so that this could be completed. Also, close examination of the road still raised a question as to whether all runoff would be directed into the sedimentation traps. Mr. Thomas agreed that while the loader was there he could grade the road so that the runoff would be directed to the sediment traps.

Mr. Thomas was also told to watch the road during the next runoff event to make sure the regrading was adequate, and if not, he would need to fix the situation again.

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**Conclusions:**

With these issues now being resolved, the permit conditions have now been satisfied. It is recommended that ***final approval now be granted*** for this site.

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